

I have heard that the FCC is considering replacing the Indiana telephone privacy act with a less restrictive national one. That would be a terrible setback for the people of Indiana. Before the Indiana law was enacted, our family would receive up to 10 phone calls a day soliciting business and on average we probably received 5 a day. We have never ever (i.e. not once) ever purchased anything as a result of these calls but was forced to waste all of that time anyway or spend money on an expensive filtering device. If states without such a law want a federal law fine, but leave Indiana alone. There is no reason, other than the power of lobbyists versus the general population, why a federal law should replace the one we have in Indiana. And if the people ever figured out who was responsible for doing so, those individuals might find out via the ballot box that the people really are more powerful than the lobbyists.